BEARFACTS 1995 – 2005 Yakutat City and Borough , Alaska [02282]

Yakutat City and Borough is one of 27 counties in Alaska. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2005 population of 684 ranked 27th in the state.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2005 Yakutat City and Borough had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$34,946. This PCPI ranked 11th in the state and was 96 percent of the state average, \$36,261, and 101 percent of the national average, \$34,757. The 2005 PCPI reflected an increase of 7.5 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 6.9 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. In 1995 the PCPI of Yakutat City and Borough was \$23,532 and ranked 13th in the state. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.6 percent and for the nation was 4.2 percent.

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2005 Yakutat City and Borough had a total personal income (TPI) of \$23,903*. This TPI ranked 27th in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1995 the TPI of Yakutat City and Borough was \$20,473* and ranked 27th in the state. The 2005 TPI reflected an increase of 2.7 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 8.2 percent and the national change was 5.9 percent. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of TPI was 1.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.6 percent and for the nation was 5.3 percent.

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Yakutat City and Borough. In 2005 net earnings accounted for 61.9 percent of TPI (compared with 66.7 in 1995); dividends, interest, and rent were 15.5 percent (compared with 19.3 in 1995); and personal current transfer receipts were 22.6 percent (compared with 14.0 in 1995). From 2004 to 2005 net earnings decreased 0.4 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 3.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 11.5 percent. From 1995 to 2005 net earnings increased on average 0.8 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent decreased on average 0.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.5 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Yakutat City and Borough decreased from \$15,971* in 2004 to \$15,815* in 2005, a decrease of 1.0 percent. The 2004-2005 state change was 6.5 percent and the national change was 5.4 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1995 estimate of \$18,571* to the 2005 estimate was - 1.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.5 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

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 $^{^*}$ Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.